

REMARKSStatus of the Application

Claims 1-19 are pending. Claims 7-9 are withdrawn from consideration as being directed to a non-elected species. Claim 1 is allowed. Claims 2-6 and 10-19 are rejected.

Allowed Claims

Applicants note with appreciation Examiner's statement that claim 1 is allowable. Applicants hereby request cancellation of all non-allowed claims.


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Summary

It is believed that this paper constitutes a complete response to the Office Action mailed October 1, 2004, and an early and favorable action allowing claim 1 is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone applicants' undersigned attorney if any unresolved matters remain.

Respectfully submitted,


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